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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

RIGLER et al.

Serial No.: 09/021,410

Filed: February 10, 1998



TC Art Unit: 1641

Examiner: M. Pham

For: A METHOD AND A DEVICE FOR THE EVALUATION OF BIOPOLYMER FITNESS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner of Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Petition for Extension of Time for a four-month period pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). This Petition for Extension of Time is being concurrently filed with a response to missing parts. A check including the \$1390.00 fee is enclosed with this Petition in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.17(c). If this fee is inaccurate, please debit or credit Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

Respectfully submitted,

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